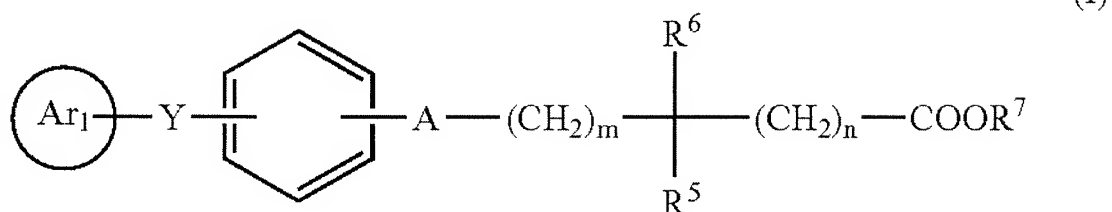


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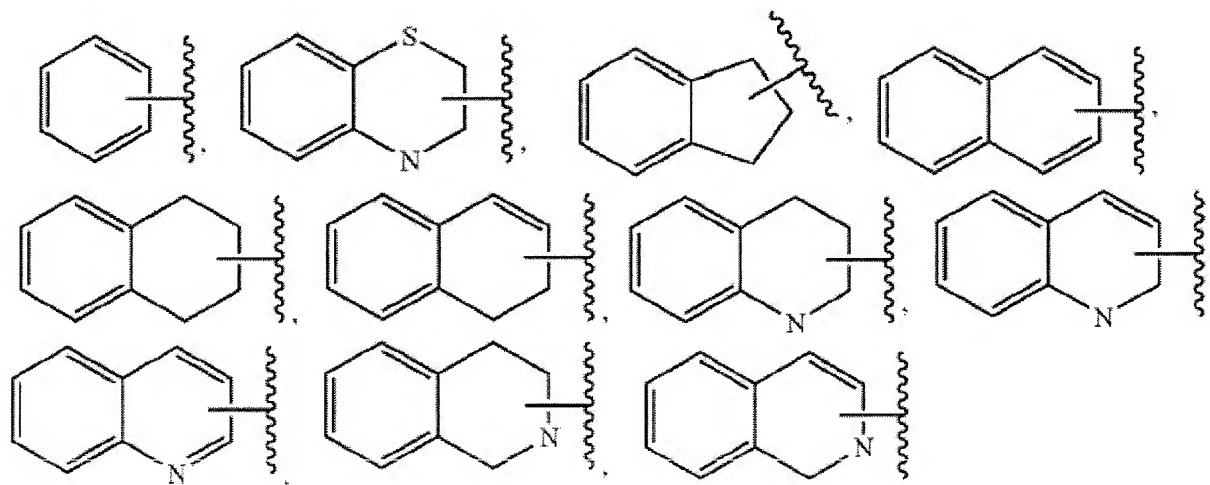
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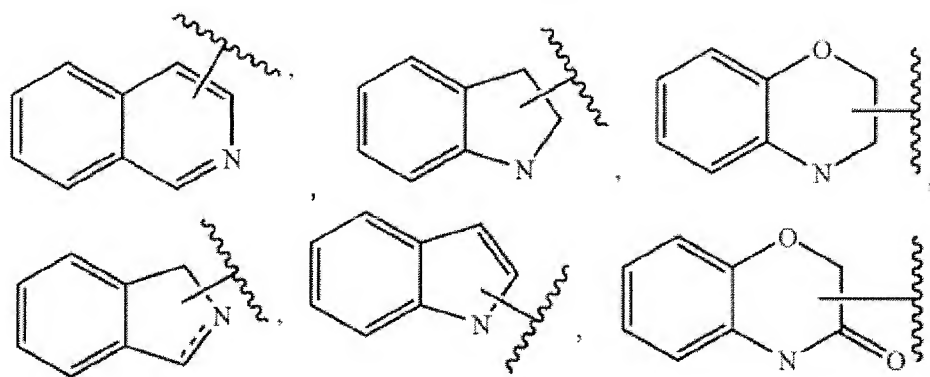
28. (Original) A compound of the formula (I),



their derivatives, their stereoisomers, their pharmaceutically acceptable salts and their pharmaceutically acceptable compositions;

wherein Ar₁ represents a unsubstituted or substituted monocyclic or polycyclic aromatic or partially saturated aromatic polycyclic structure, which may optionally contain up to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, S or O, such as





which when substituted may have up to 4 substituents that may be identical or different, wherein said substituents selected from halo, nitro, alkyl, hydroxy, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxy, thioalkoxy, oxo, aryl, $--NR^1R^2$, $--OCONR^1R^2$, NR^1COOR^2 , $--NR^1COR^2$, $--NR^1SO_2R^2$, $NR^1CONR^1R^2$, $--OSO_2R^3$, $--SO_2R^3$,

R^1 and R^2 independently represent hydrogen, or optionally substituted groups selected from alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl; R^3 independently represents hydrogen, or optionally substituted groups selected from alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, wherein said substituents on R^1 , R^2 and R^3 are selected from hydrogen, halo, nitro, amino, mono or di substituted amino, hydroxy, alkoxy, carboxy, cyano, alkyl, cycloalkyl, alkoxy, haloalkoxy, haloalkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heterocyclyl, heteroaryl;

m and n independently represents an integer from 0 to 6;

A represents O, S or a bond;

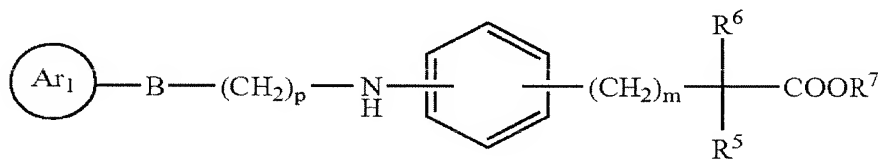
Y is selected from $(CH_2)_p$, $(CH_2)_pB(CH_2)_q$, $(CH_2)_rB(CH_2)_pD(CH_2)_q$, wherein p, q and r each independently represents an integer from 0 to 6; B and D independently represents S, O, NR^4 or a bond, R^4 represents hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, $--S(O)_2-R^8$ or $--C(O)R^8$, R^8 is alkyl, alkoxy; with the proviso that when B and D represents a hetero atom p is not zero;

R^5 and R^6 independently represents hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl or alkoxy; R^5 and R^6 together may form 3-8 membered cyclic ring which may optionally contains one or two hetero atoms selected from O, S or N;

R^7 represents hydrogen, substituted or unsubstituted alkyl, cycloalkyl, alkenyl or alkynyl; wherein said substituents are selected from hydrogen, halo, nitro, amino, mono or di substituted amino, hydroxy, alkoxy, carboxy, cyano, alkyl, cycloalkyl, alkoxy, haloalkoxy, haloalkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heterocyclyl, heteroaryl.

29. (Currently Amended) A compound of formula (Ia) ~~according to claimed 28~~

(Ia)



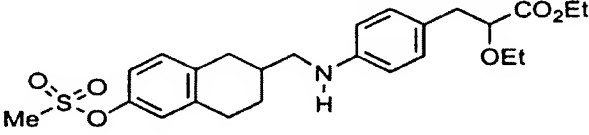
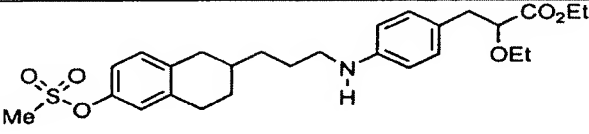
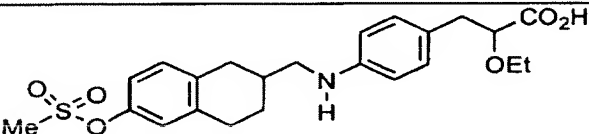
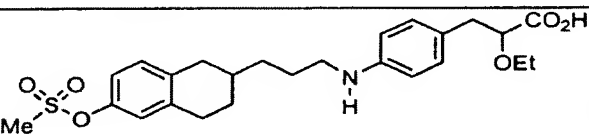
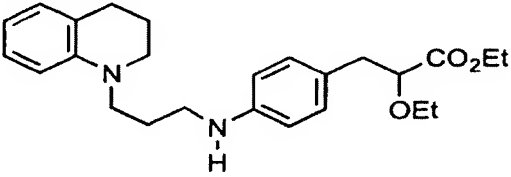
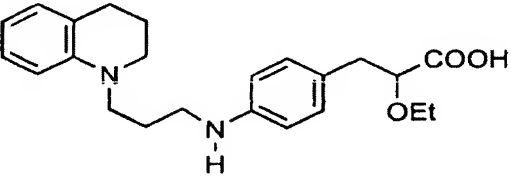
wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 ~~above~~.

30. (Original) The compound of claim 29, wherein Ar_1 is substituted with $-\text{OSO}_2\text{R}^3$, and R^3 is alkyl or aryl.

31. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ia) as claimed in claim 29 ~~claim 28~~ is selected from

Structure	IUPAC Name
	(S)-Ethyl 2-methoxy-3- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-5- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] pentanoate
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	2-Ethoxy-5- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] pentanoic acid

32. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (1a) as claimed in claim 29 ~~claim 28~~ is selected from

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-((6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl) methylamino) phenyl] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-((6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl) methylamino) phenyl] propanoic acid
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinolyn-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydroquinolyn-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid

33. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ia) as claimed in claim 29 ~~claim 28~~ is selected from

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoate
	(S)-Methyl 2-methoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoate
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(2, 3-dihydroindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoate
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(2, 3-dihydroindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid

34. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ia) as claimed in claim 29 ~~claim 28~~ is selected from

Structure	IUPAC Name
	(S)-Ethyl-2-ethoxy-3- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	(S)-Methyl-2-methoxy-3- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoate
	(S)-Methyl 3-ethoxy-4- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] butanoate
	(S)-2-ethoxy-3- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid
	(S)-3-ethoxy-4- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] butanoic acid

35. (Currently Amended) The compound of formula (1a) as claimed in claim 29 claim 28 is selected from

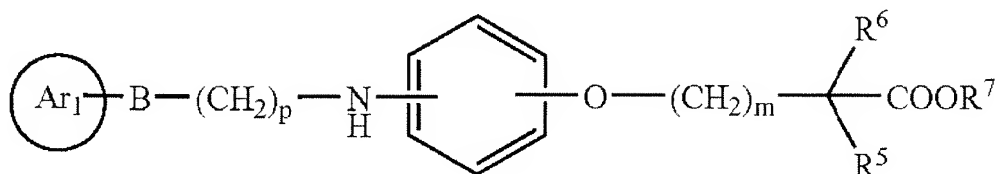
Structure	IUPAC Name
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4-{6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Ethoxy-5- [4-{6-methanesulfonyl oxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenyl] pentanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{{6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl} methylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(6-methanesulfonyloxy-1, 2,3,4-tetrahydronaph-2-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(1, 2, 3, 4-tetrahydroquinolyn-1-yl) propylamino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt

36. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ia) as claimed in claim 29 ~~claim 28~~ is selected from

Structure	IUPAC Name
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4-{3-(indol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	(S)-2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyl oxyindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	(S)-2-methoxy-3- [4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyl oxyindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	(S)-3-ethoxy-4- [4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] butanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-ethoxy-3- [4-{3-(2,3-dihydroindol-1-yl) propyl amino} phenyl] propanoic acid Arginine salt

37. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ib) ~~according to~~
~~claimed 28,~~

(Ib)



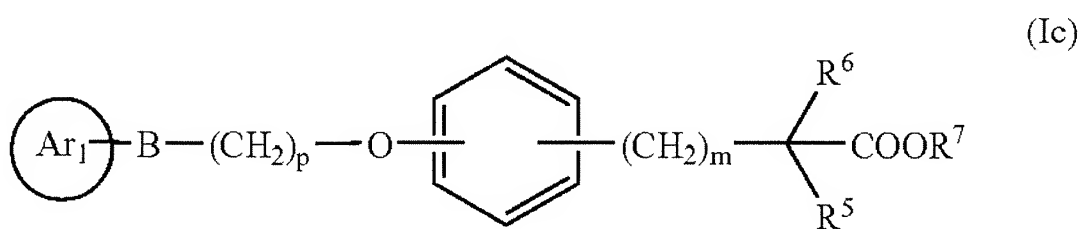
wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 above.

38. (Withdrawn) The compound of claim 37 wherein Ar₁ is substituted with –
 OSO₂R³, and R³ is alkyl or aryl.

39. (Withdrawn) The compound of formula (Ib) as claimed in claim 37 is selected
 from,

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [4- {6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenoxy] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2- [4- {6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethylamino} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propylamino} phenoxy] propanoic acid

40. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ic) according to claim 28

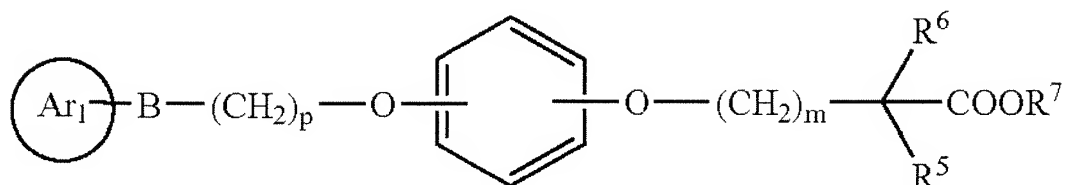


wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 above.

41. (Withdrawn) The compound of claim 40, wherein Ar₁ is substituted with –OSO₂R³, wherein R³ is alkyl or aryl.

42. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Id) according to ~~claim 28~~,

(Id)



wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 above.

43. (Withdrawn) The compound of claim 42, wherein "Ar₁" is substituted with --OSO₂R³, where R³ is alkyl or aryl.

44. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A compound of formula (Id) according to claim 42 ~~claim 28~~ which is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [4- {6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethoxy} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2- [4- {6-methanesulfonyloxynaph-2-ylmethoxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid

45. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A compound of formula (Id) according to claim 42 ~~claim 28~~ which is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid

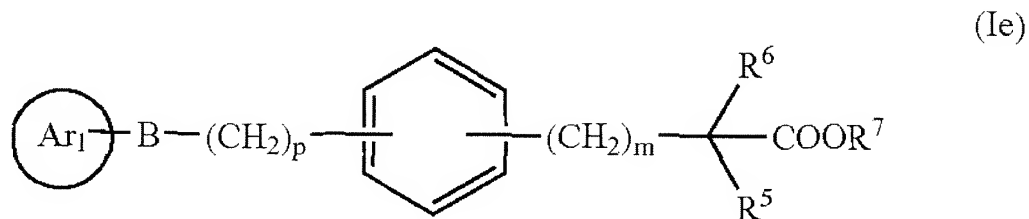
46. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A compound of formula (Id) according to claim 42 ~~claim 28~~ which is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-(para-toluenesulfonyloxy)phenoxy)propyl oxy} phenoxy]propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl oxy} phenoxy]butanoate
	2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-(para-toluenesulfonyloxy)phenoxy)propyl oxy} phenoxy]propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl oxy} phenoxy]butanoic acid

47. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A compound of formula (Id) according to claim 42 ~~claim 28~~ which is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	2-methyl-2- [4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-(<i>para</i> -toluenesulfonyloxy)phenoxy)propyloxy}phenoxy]propanoic acid, arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyloxy}butanoic acid, arginine salt

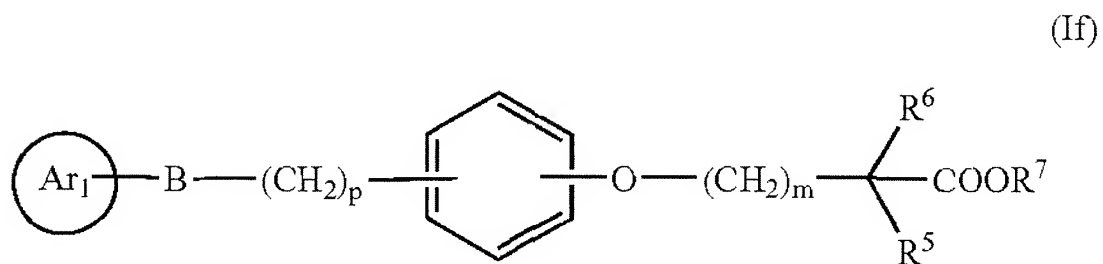
48. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) according to claim 1, which is



wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 above.

49. (Withdrawn) The compound of claim 48, wherein Ar₁ is substituted with –OSO₂R³, and R³, and R³ is alkyl or aryl.

50. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (If) according to claim 1, which is,



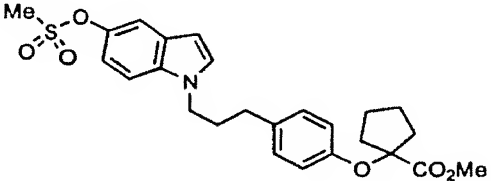
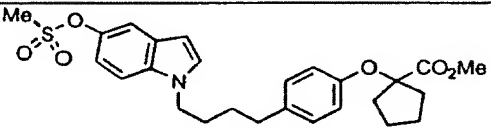
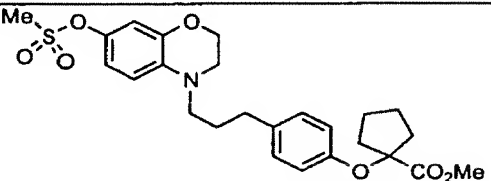
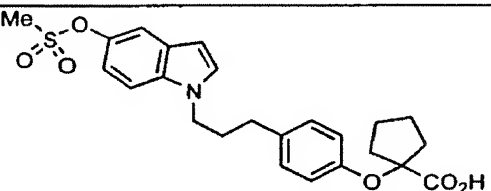
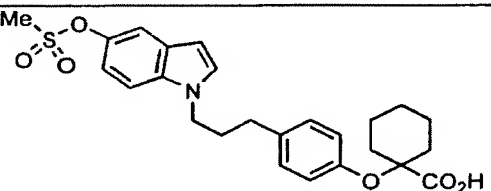
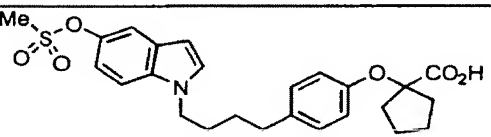
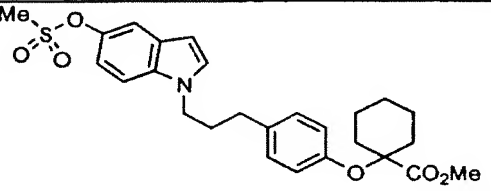
wherein all of the symbols are as defined in claim 28 above.

51. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of claim 50, wherein Ar₁ is substituted with –OSO₂R³, where R³ is selected from optionally substituted groups selected from alkyl or aryl.

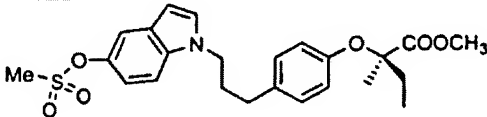
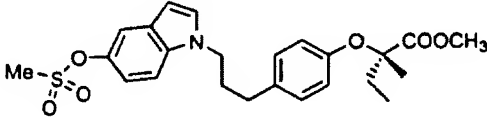
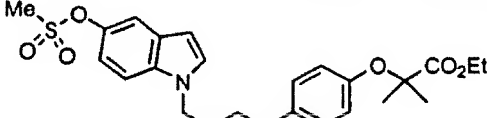
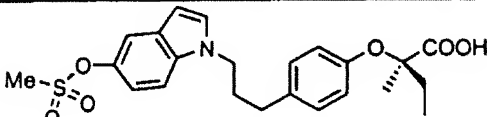
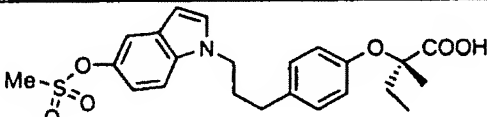
52. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 claim 4 is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2- [4- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2- [3- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2- [3- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-[3- {3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[4- {4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl} phenoxy]propanoic acid
	2-[3- {3-(5-Methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy]propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[3- {3-(5-(<i>para</i> -toluenesulfonyloxy)indol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3- {3-(5-(<i>para</i> -toluenesulfonyloxy)indol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] propanoate

53. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	1-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, methyl ester
	1-[4-{4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, methyl ester
	1-[4-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1,4] oxazin-4-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, methyl ester
	1-[4-{3-(5-Methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid
	1-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclohexane-1-carboxylic acid
	1-[4-{4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid
	1-[4-{3-(5-Methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclohexane-1-carboxylic acid, methyl ester

54. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

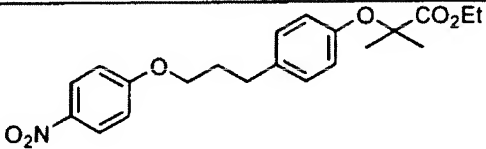
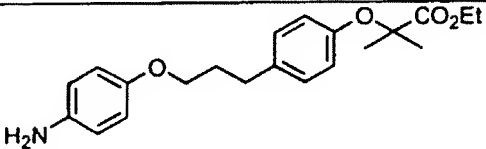
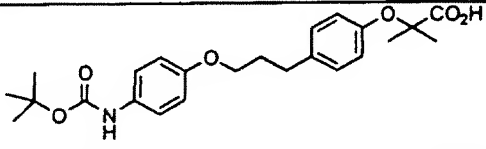
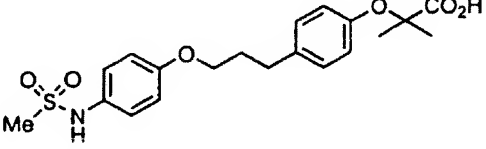
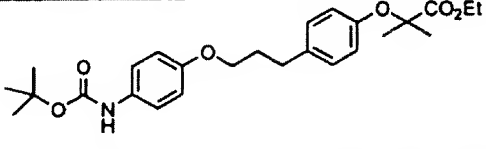
Structure	IUPAC Name
	(+) Methyl (<i>R</i>)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy] butanoate
	(-) Methyl (<i>S</i>)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy] butanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	(<i>R</i>)- (+)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] butanoic acid
	(<i>S</i>)- (-)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy] butanoic acid

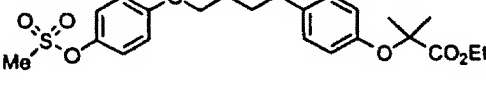
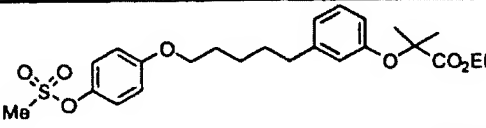
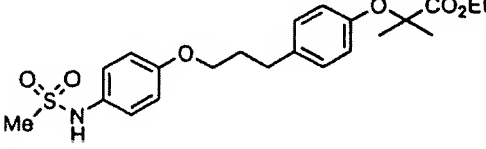
55. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{4-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)butyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{5-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)pentyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid

56. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in

claim 48 claim-4 is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{5-(4-nitrophenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{5-(4-aminophenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-(tert-butyloxycarbonylamino)phenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-(methanesulfonylamino)phenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-(tert-butyloxycarbonylamino)phenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoate

	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{4-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)butyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[3-{5-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)pentyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(4-(methanesulfonylamino)phenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoate

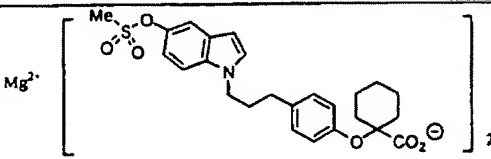
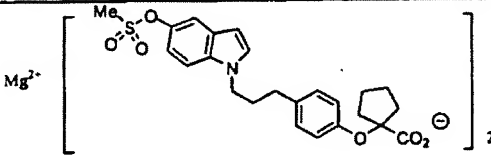
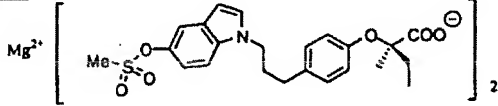
57. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 claim-4 is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] Oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoate
	2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] Oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	Ethyl-2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoate.
	Ethyl 2-methyl-2-[4-{4-(7-methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] oxazin-3-on-4-yl)butyl}phenoxy]propanoate
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid
	1-[4-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] oxazin-4-yl)propyl}phenoxy] cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{4-(7-methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2H-bezo [b] [1, 4] oxazin-3-on-4-yl)butyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid

58. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	(<i>R</i>)- (+)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] butanoic acid, Arginine salt
	(<i>S</i>)- (-)-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] butanoic acid, Arginine salt
	2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-methyl-2-[3-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid, arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(5-(<i>para</i> -toluenesulfonyloxy)indol-1-yl)propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid, arginine salt
	2-[3-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid, arginine
	1-[4-{4-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)butyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, arginine salt

59. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

Structure	IUPAC Name
	1-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclohexane-1-carboxylic acid, magnesium salt
	1-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, magnesium salt
	(racemic) Methyl-2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(5-methanesulfonyloxyindol-1-yl)propyl}phenoxy]butanoic acid Magnesium salt

60. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 ~~claim 4~~ is selected from:

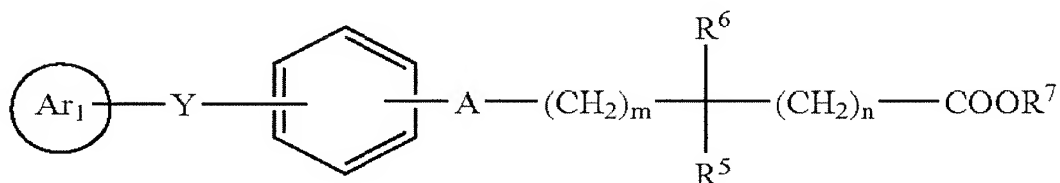
Structure	IUPAC Name
	1-[4-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2 <i>H</i> -bezo [<i>b</i>] [1,4] oxazin-4-yl)propyl}phenoxy]cyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid, magnesium salt
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{4-(7-methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2 <i>H</i> -bezo [<i>b</i>] [1,4] oxazin-3-on-4-yl)butyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid, Arginine salt
	2-methyl-2-[4-{3-(3,4-dihydro-2 <i>H</i> -bezo [<i>b</i>][1,4] Oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{3-(7-Methanesulfonyloxy-3,4-dihydro-2 <i>H</i> -bezo [<i>b</i>] [1,4] oxazin-4-yl) propyl} phenoxy] propanoic acid, Arginine salt

61. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The compound of formula (Ie) as claimed in claim 48 claim 4 is selected from:

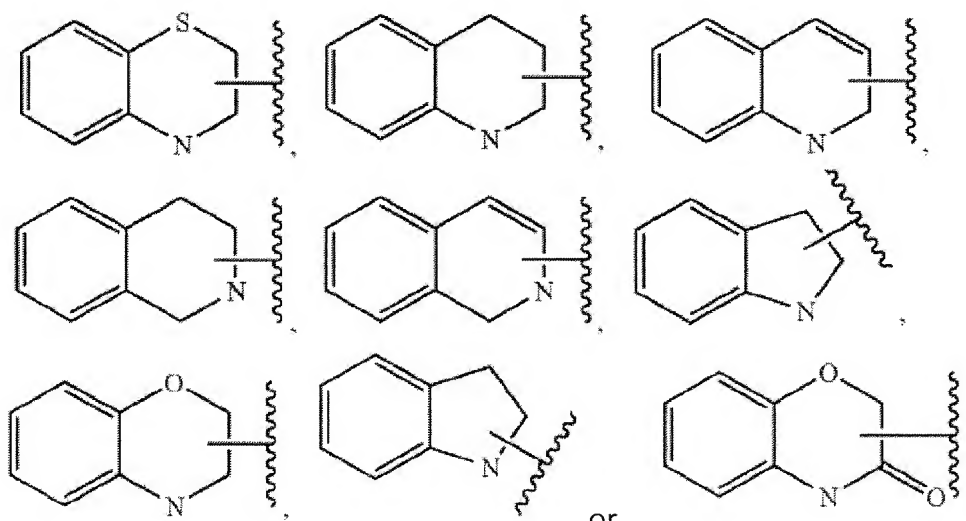
Structure	IUPAC Name
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{3-(3-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)propyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid Arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[4-{4-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)butyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid, arginine salt
	2-Methyl-2-[3-{5-(4-methanesulfonyloxyphenoxy)pentyl}phenoxy]propanoic acid, arginine salt

62. (Withdrawn) A process for the preparation of compound of formula (I),

(I)



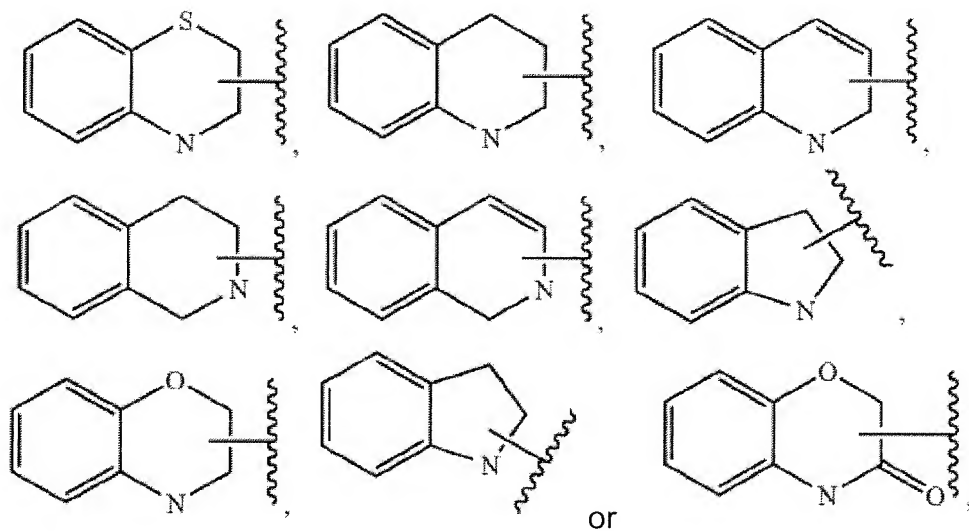
wherein Ar₁ represents



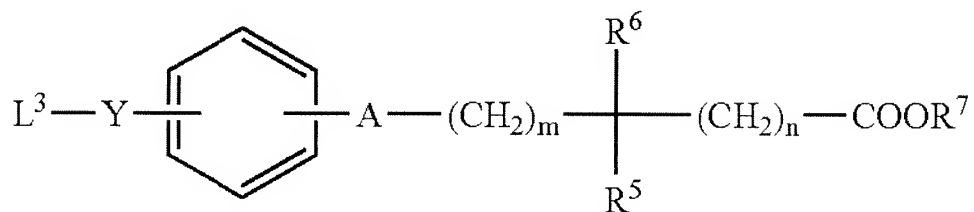
and all other symbols are as defined above, which process comprises, reacting compound of formula (8)



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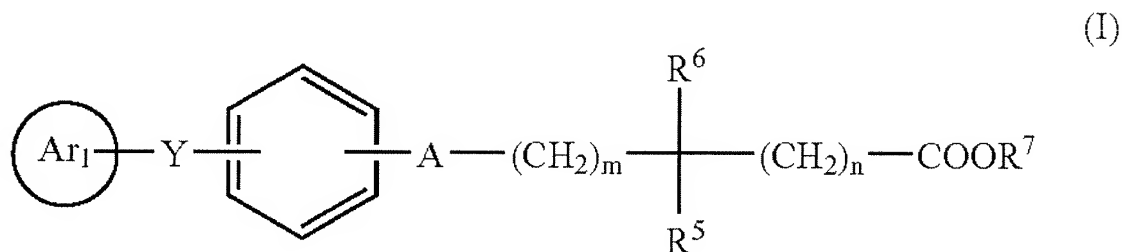


with a compound of formula (9)



where L³ represents a leaving group selected from halo or mesyloxy, and all other symbols have the meaning as described above.

63. (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical composition, which comprises a compound of formula (I)



as defined in claim 28 ~~claim 4~~ and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, diluent, excipient or solvate.

64. (Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 30.

65. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 38.

66. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 41.

67. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 43.

68. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 49.

69. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 63, wherein the compound is as claimed in claim[[s]] 51.

70. (Original) A pharmaceutical composition as claimed in claim 63, in the form of a tablet, capsule, powder, syrup, solution or suspension.

71. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method for treating and/or preventing dyslipidemia comprising administering a compound of formula (I) as defined in claim 28 ~~claim 4~~ or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 63 to a patient in need thereof.

72. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A method for treating and/or preventing diabetes caused by insulin resistance or impaired glucose tolerance comprising administering a compound of formula (I) as defined in claim 28 ~~claim 4~~ or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 63 to a patient in need thereof.

73-74. (Canceled.)

75. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A medicine for treating and/or preventing diabetes caused dyslipidemia comprising administering a compound of formula (I) as defined in claim 28 ~~claim 4~~ or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 63 to a patient in need thereof.

76. (Withdrawn, Currently Amended) A medicine for treating and/or preventing diabetes caused by insulin resistance or impaired glucose tolerance comprising administering a compound of formula (I) as defined in claim 28 ~~claim 4~~ or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 63 to a patient in need thereof.